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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I am a residential customer who supports broadband competition. The FCC needs to support competition in the market place and not limit it.

I have used AT&T in the past and was not happy with the service and their rates were too expensive for us. It took a long time to find alternatives because the major companies attempt to block out the competition but we finally did find a small competitor. We now have better internet speed, better customer service, and rates that are very affordable.

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